



SANGGUNIANG BAYAN

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE 18th REGULAR SESSION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN OF MONCADA, TARLAC HELD ON THE 11th DAY OF NOVEMBER 2019 AT THE SB SESSION HALL, LEGISLATIVE BUILDING

PRESENT:

HON. JAIME O. DUQUE	.. VICE MAYOR/PRESIDING OFFICER
HON. CLEOFE D. FAVIS	.. MEMBER
HON. RODOLFO C. ESPEJO, JR.	.. MEMBER
HON. ALBERTO C. MARZAN, JR., MD	.. MEMBER
HON. RUBEN V. GAMBOA, JR.	.. MEMBER
HON. THELMAFLOR A. ESPEJO	.. MEMBER
HON. GEORGE MICHAEL P. AGUILAR	.. MEMBER
HON. JANIUS M. YASAY	.. MEMBER
HON. CELESTE A. AYSON	.. MEMBER
HON. GEORGE R. CUCHAPIN, MD	.. LnB PRESIDENT
HON. EZEKIEL C. RIVERA	.. SKF PRESIDENT

ABSENT:

NONE

RESOLUTION No. 125 *Series of 2019*

Sponsored by: Sangguniang Bayan En Banc

RESOLUTION PROMULGATING THE DECISION OF THE SANGGUNIANG BAYAN FOR THE ADMINISTRATIVE CASE FILED BY MRS. MELBA D. TRONGCOSO AGAINST PUNONG BARANGAY ROMULO V. ROMAGUERA OF BARANGAY STA. LUCIA WEST, THIS MUNICIPALITY

ADMINISTRATIVE CASE NO. 002-2019

FOR:

Abuse of Authority, Grave Misconduct, Dishonesty, Oppression, Misconduct in Office, Gross Negligence or Dereliction of Duty

WHEREAS, private individuals seeking redress for improprieties or for any other offenses as enumerated in the Local Government Code committed against them by public officials themselves is a relief offered under the Code as a deterrent to the abuse of vested authority by and violation of the code of conduct among said officials;

WHEREAS, the Sangguniang Bayan by virtue of its quasi-judicial functions, is empowered under the Local Government Code to conduct investigations and render decisions thereof relating to administrative cases;

WHEREAS, in instant administrative case, the Sangguniang Bayan, sitting *En Banc* as an investigative panel, strongly believes that complainant Melba D. Trongcoso failed to establish strong connection between her allegation and the charges hurled against respondent Romulo V. Romaguera, Punong Barangay of Sta. Lucia West, this Municipality;



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WHEREAS, under circumstances, the SB, by a unanimous vote, finds that respondent Romaguera, based on narration of facts and presentation of evidences, did not commit acts constitutive of "abuse of authority" nor "oppression", thus, charges filed with this Honorable Body do not merit the most severe penalty of dismissal from the service nor suspension;

NOW, THEREFORE, premises considered and on motion unanimously presented and approved;

RESOLVED, that the Sangguniang Bayan En Banc, acting on the instant administrative case, hereby renders its decision:

That the charges of Abuse of Authority, Grave Misconduct, Dishonesty, Oppression, Misconduct in Office, Gross Negligence and Dereliction of Duty filed against Punong Barangay ROMULO V. ROMAGUERA are hereby DISMISSED for lack of merit;

RESOLVED FURTHER, that copies of this DECISION be furnished both parties, the Honorable Mayor Estelita M. Aquino, the MLGOO, the LnB President, and all concerned parties for their information;

SO DECIDED.

11 November 2019 at Moncada, Tarlac.

CERTIFIED to have been duly
ADOPTED on the above-mentioned
date and place:


VICTOR SANDINO S. MOLINA
Secretary to the Sanggunian

ATTESTED AND CERTIFIED
TO BE DULY ADOPTED:


JAIME O. DUQUE
Vice-Mayor & Presiding Officer

CONCURRED by HER HONOR, the MAYOR, on NOV. 11, 2019


ESTELITA M. AQUINO
Municipal Mayor